

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please insert the following subtitles immediately before line 3, page 1, as follows:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

TECHNICAL FIELD OF THE INVENTION

Please insert the following subtitle immediately before line 28, page 1, as follows:

PRIOR ART

Please insert the following subtitle immediately before line 11, page 2, as follows:

OBJECT AND SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Please replace the paragraph on page 6, beginning line 4, with the following amended paragraph:

--This object is achieved, according to the invention, by a securing system ~~according to the preamble of claim 20~~ in which the spring is provided, at the end which engages on the base of the profiled-section element, with a sliding part comprising a sliding foot.--

Please insert the following subtitle immediately before line 16, page 6, as follows:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Please insert the following subtitle immediately before line 12, page 7, as follows:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED  
EMBODIMENTS OF THE INVENTION